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DESIGN
PATENT APPLICATION
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	68219/27
First Named Inventor	Patrick Gane
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	Not yet known
Filing Date	Filed Herewith
Art Unit	Not yet known
Examiner Name	Not yet known

I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**COPOLYMER HAVING AT LEAST ONE ALKOXY - OR
HYDROXY POLYALKYLENE GLYCOL GRAFTED FUNCTION,
AND USE THEREOF**

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

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Application Number PCT/IB2003/005082

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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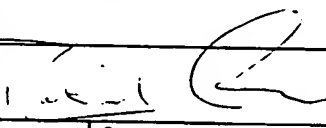
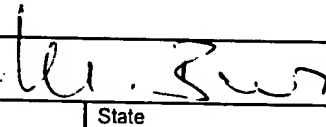
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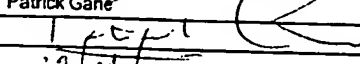
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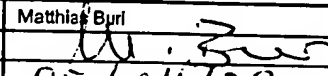
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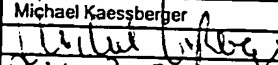
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